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INTERVERTEBRAL IMPLANT

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Attached is:

- a response after Final Rejection dated
- a response to the Office Action dated
- ☒ a Second Preliminary Amendment with Attachment A.
- a Petition for an extension of time
- ☒ Other: Information Disclosure Statement; List of References; References (24)

Fees: For claims if required and/or other fees as shown below:

		NOW	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	\$
X	TOTAL CLAIMS	70	25	45	X \$ 18 =	810
X	INDEP. CLAIMS	11	3	8	X \$ 84 =	672
TOTAL OF ABOVE CLAIMS FEES =						1,482
X	Reduction by ½ for small entity status of applicant					741
SUBTOTAL =						741
Fee for extension of time (per attached Petition)						
Other fee for						
TOTAL OF ALL FEES =						741

☒ A check in the amount of \$741 is enclosed. If no check or an insufficient check is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555.

☒ In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted herewith and that a separate petition is not submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. Any fee is authorized above.

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